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CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN
HAS IT.

Half a Dozen Killings—Garrott Comes
Clear—Plot to Escape—Off For Cal-
ifornia—Convention—Teachers.

Republican Convention.

The Republicans have called their
judicial district convention to meet in
Eddyville on Monday July 5. Judge
Jas. Breathitt will be renominated for
circuit judge and the probabilities
are that no nomination will be made
for commonwealth's attorney.

Afflicted Woman Murdered.

Cadiz, Ky., June 28.—A deaf and
dumb negro woman living at R. B.
Thompson's, three miles south of
Cadiz, was found dead in her room
yesterday with a bullet hole in her
breast. No clue to identify the party
who committed the murder.

His Foot Was Severed.

John Glover, who lives west of
Crofton, met with a serious accident
Friday, which may cause him the
loss of a foot. While cutting cross-
ties the axe slipped and cut his left
foot nearly off. The loss of blood
was so great that the young man
came near dying before the flow could
be stopped.

Soldiers' Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Feder-
al soldiers in the late war, will be
held at Kelly's Station next Satur-
day, July 3. Everybody is invited to
come and bring baskets well filled
provisions. The old soldiers and with
their families are especially invited.
A cordial invitation is also extended
to the soldiers and their families who
were the "gray."

John Feland and other prominent
speakers will deliver addresses, and a
joyous time is anticipated.

On For The Coast.

The Endeavor excursion to the San
Francisco convention, leaves to-day.
Among those in this city and sur-
rounding country who will take ad-
vantage of the cheap rates west, are:
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson; Mr.
and Mrs. J. D. Hays, and two chil-
dren; Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Smith;
Misses Mary Barbour, Annie Smith,
Lizzie Graves, Carrie McElwain, Mrs.
Jennie Rodman, Mrs. T. W. Blakey,
H. H. Poore, Fred Harned, Jas. Mc-
Clure and Allen D. Wallis. A
large number will go from the other
towns in this end of the state.

Teachers Examined.

The white teachers' examination for
certificates to teach was held some
days ago and the examiners have
made their report. There were 37 ap-
plicants and 24 passed the examina-
tion.

Last week 36 colored applicants
were examined, but their papers have
not yet been examined. The exami-
nation this year is said to be more
than usually difficult.

Mr. McCartney Sick

Superintendent Livingstone Mc-
Cartney, of the city public schools, is
quite sick and will not be able to at-
tend the State Teachers' Association
at Bowling Green this week. Mr.
McCartney was recently re-elected to
his present position, together with the
entire faculty of last year, and he
was when taken sick preparing to
take a much needed rest by attending
both the State association and the
national association at Milwaukee.

Ready For The Thresher.

The greater part of the wheat crop
in Christian county is in the shock
and will soon be ready for the thresh-
er. A few farmers will have their
crops threshed this week. In the
Church Hill neighborhood the work
of knocking out this cereal will com-
mence to-day. The sheaves are very
heavy and the meshes seem well filled.
Every indication points to an im-
mense yield. Buyers all along the
various railroads are making exten-
sive preparations to handle their pro-
posed purchases.

Victim of the Storm.

Clardy, Ky., June 26.—Mr. Lem
Brown, a young farmer living 3 miles
south of Macedonia, was killed by a
falling tree during the wind storm
Thursday morning. Mr. Brown was
at work in his field when the storm
came up, and was seen leaving the
field going toward home, but as he
failed to get home, a search was made
as soon as the storm had subsided
and his lifeless body found just out
side of the field, where a falling tree
had struck him on the head and
shoulder. He was the oldest son of
Mr. J. D. Brown, about 26 years old
and leaves a wife and two small chil-
dren.

Mrs. Edith Le Bruno, aged 23, a
handsome aeronaut who had made
several skillful ascensions, was drown-
ed in the Tennessee river last week.
She descended with a parachute and
came down in the middle of the
stream and sank before assistance
could reach her.

THE RACE FOR CONGRESS.

Tip Bransford May Enter It in a Few
Days.

It is not improbable that within a
day or two Mr. C. W. Bransford will
announce himself as a candidate for
congress. He has received very
strong pressure to make the race and
is favorably considering the mat-
ter. The speeches Mr. Bransford
made in the campaign of 1896 made
a very deep impression upon all who
heard them. They were pronounced
as among the very best that were
heard in Kentucky. He had no
thought at the time he was made a
candidate for elector on the Demo-
cratic ticket of ever offering for an of-
fice, being simply a business man, but
he was deeply interested in the great
issue that was then, and continues to
now be, a most absorbing one among
the people, and he threw his whole
heart into the subject. The fruits of
that work are now manifest in the de-
mands upon him to make the race for
congress.

Mr. J. E. Rowe is also seriously
considering the congressional race,
but he has just been nominated for
commonwealth's attorney and the
election for that office does not occur
until next November. The con-
gressional election occurs in Novem-
ber of next year, but the early and
aggressive candidacy of Mr. Dempsey,
of Hopkins, will probably force that
contest into this year's politics.—
Owensboro Messenger.

New Banks Will Pledge Up.

Frankfort, Ky., June 26.—The new
banks do not share in the hope of the
older ones that the Federal Courts
will reverse the decision of the Ken-
tucky Court of Appeals requiring
them to pay city, county and State
taxes just as other property pays.
They are preparing to get back the
surplus they have paid the State tax-
es—the difference between seventy-
five cents and forty-two and one-half
cents on the \$100—since the new re-
venue law went into effect and then
go ahead and pay up their local or
city and county taxes for this and
the several preceding years.
Messrs. Chowning and Burnett, of
the Citizens' Bank of Shelbyville;
J. G. McRae, Cashier Woodbridge;
Thos. J. Tandy, J. T. Bramham,
Frank Byars, Max J. Moynon and
wife, Andrew Sargent and wife
T. M. Jones, Miss Mary D. Jones,
C. M. Lacy, T. N. Petree and wife,
Miss Daisy Cofer, C. A. Thompson, M.
H. Tandy, R. L. Woodard, Miss
Georgia Flack, Miss Mary Barbour,
E. M. Flack, J. E. Eggleton, Geo. C.
West, W. B. Badger, H. D. Green, J.
J. Chappell and Major Woodbridge,
Hopkinsville.

A Plot to Escape.

Frankfort, Ky., June 26.—While
the convicts were at supper last night
Sam Crabtree struck Sam Buckley in
the head with a hammer, knocking
him senseless for several hours. Crab-
tree suspected Buckley of revealing
his plot to escape, for which he had
been planning. He walked into the
dining room, stepped up to Buckley
and without a word drew a hammer
from under his coat, striking Buckley
a terrible blow on the cranium, felling
him to the floor. The convicts
overpowered Crabtree until the of-
ficers could take him in charge and
Buckley was carried out. The plot is
said to be one of the most daring ever
undertaken here.

Crabtree is serving his second term
from Lawrence county for house
breaking. Buckley is from Elkhart,
Todd county, for grand larceny.
Buckley, it is thought, will recover.

Broke up The Meeting.

Mayfield, Ky., June 26.—A sen-
sational church fight occurred near the
city last night at a sanctified tent
meeting, in which Rev. Joel Ozment
was badly hurt. John Pace, a drunk-
en tough, entered the tent, and loud-
ly announced to some seekers of
Christ at the altar that they had
enough religion. Ozment announced
that the devil was there and for all
to pray him out. This enraged
Pace and his associates, and as
Ozment walked out he was struck
across the head with a beer bottle
and otherwise beaten. Rev. Bob
Goodwin and by-standers joined in
and several were hurt, but none
dangerously. The women scattered
in every direction.

John Victory Plays Detective.

Madisonville, Ky., June 24.—West
Cody, the alleged outlaw and report-
ed partner of Gus Hite, train robber
and murderer, was captured at his
home near here to-day by John Vi-
tory, who entered Cody's house and
awaited his appearance, got the drop
on him and brought him in a buggy
to town without aid. When they ar-
rived Cody's hands were tied in front
of him with a halter strap.

GARROTT CLEARED.

THE JURY RETURNS A VERDICT FRI-
DAY MORNING.

Seven Were For Acquittal on The First
Ballot. The Other Case Continued.

The jury in the case of Clifton W.
Garrott, for the killing of Tom
Leavell, col., returned a verdict of
"not guilty" at 9 o'clock Friday. The
case was given to the jury Wednes-
day afternoon. A considerable crowd
was in the Court House when the ac-
quittal was announced, and a ripple
of applause was quickly checked by
Judge Breathitt.

Young Garrott was, of course,
greatly elated, and at once retired
from the court room and held a "love
feast" with his friends, who crowded
about to congratulate him.

The jury had but little trouble in
coming to an agreement. On the
first ballot seven stood for acquittal.
The other five came over to the ma-
jority one by one, and the verdict
was made unanimous after about
thirty-six hours of deliberation.

The other case against Garrott for
shooting and wounding Reuben
Leavell was continued and the de-
fendant gave bond for \$1,500.

A civil suit for \$10,000 damages by
Reuben Leavell against Mr. Garrott
was also continued until September.

The jury trying the case last week
was one of mature ages. The oldest
man was 65, the youngest 34 and the
average age 51 years.

Visitors at Cerulean.

The following visitors registered at
Cerulean Sunday.

Miss Fannie Morehead, Princeton,
Ky.; Mrs. Willie B. Wright, Princeton,
Ky.; Julius Weil, St. Louis Mo.; A.
Rothchild, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fletcher,
Miss Mamie Fletcher, Miss Emma
Fletcher, Robt. Fletcher, Jr., Louis-
ville; James W. Means, Carlyle Ill.;
Dr. Young, Cobb, Ky.; B. F. Everson,
Evansville, Ind.; Mrs. Susan Sargent,
Stanford, Ky.; Miss Lashley, Stan-
ford Ky.; R. R. Donaldson
and wife, J. G. Donaldson,
H. A. Phelps, W. L. Bamberger,
W. E. Ragsdale, Jr., Green Champ-
lin, F. J. Huggar, Alfred Eggleton,
J. G. McRae, Cashaw Woodbridge,
Thos. J. Tandy, J. T. Bramham,
Frank Byars, Max J. Moynon and
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Killed A Negro Tramp.

A dispatch from Russellville says:
"Wood Lacey, a prominent young
farmer who resides near Cave Spring,
this county, shot and killed Jesse
Granger, col., last Friday afternoon.
Granger went to Lacey's house and
asked Mrs. Lacey for dinner. She
told him that he could not get it there,
but he could get it further on at a
negro cabin. He used profane and
vile language to her and said he be-
d—d if he didn't have it. This fright-
ened Mrs. Lacey and she closed the
door, no one being at home but her-
self and two little children. Mr. La-
cey, who was out on the farm at work,
was called as soon as possible, but
when he arrived the negro had gone.
Lacey followed with a gun, overtook
the negro about two miles from the
house, and shot him, totally disem-
boweling him. The negro died in
about thirty minutes. It is not known
what occurred when Lacey overtook
Granger, but when found a bulldog
pistol was by the negro's side.

Lacey had his examining trial and
was held over on a \$500 bond to await
the action of the grand jury."

Lacey formerly lived in Todd coun-
ty, near Alleghree, and is well known in
this county.

Killed His Brother-in-law.

Madisonville, Ky., June 26.—At
Lisman, Webster county, Wood Al-
len, brother-in-law to Let Nichols,
went to a field where Nichols was at
work cutting wheat and called him to
the fence. After a few minutes con-
versation Allen shot Nichols, who
only lived a few minutes. The de-
ceased leaves a wife, who is a sister
to Allen. The murderer is now
lodged in jail at Dixon.

Died From Poison.

Paducah, Ky., June 25.—Miss Del-
la Barnes, a daughter of Councilman
George F. Barnes, a wealthy coal
dealer of Paducah, died yesterday
morning of morphine poisoning. It is
not known whether she committed
suicide or took the drug through mis-
take.

Now a Case of Murder.

Paducah, Ky., June 25.—Robert
Mollett, colored, who was struck on
the head with a brick by Rob. Smith,
colored, several days ago, died this
morning in jail, and Smith was war-
ranted for murder.